



IAP4 Rec'd PCT/PTO 04 JAN 2006

PCT

Docket No.: 0397-0499PUS1
(PATENT)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:
Takanori KAMOTO et al.

Application No.: 10/543,006

Confirmation No.: @@@

Filed: July 22, 2005

Art Unit: N/A

For: INK COMPOSITION, AND INK SET,
RECORDING METHOD, INK HEAD AND
RECORDED IMAGE USING INK
COMPOSITION

Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

LETTER

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

JAN 04 2006

Sir:

Attached is a copy of the Notification of Transmittal of Copies of Translation of the International Preliminary Report on Patentability (Form PCT/IB/338), the International Preliminary Report on Patentability (Form PCT/IB/373) and the Written Opinion of the International Searching Authority (Form PCT/ISA/237). Please make this of record in the present application.

Application No.: 10/543,006

Docket No.: 0397-0499PUS1

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37.C.F.R. §1.16 or 1.14; particularly, extension of time fees.

Dated: **JAN - 4 2006**

Respectfully submitted,

By  #29271

Marc S. Weiner

Registration No.: 12,181

BIRCH, STEWART, KOLASCH & BIRCH, LLP

8110 Gatehouse Road

Suite 100 East

P.O. Box 747

Falls Church, Virginia 22040-0747

(703) 205-8000

Attorney for Applicant

Attachment(s)